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Friends of Youth provides several programs for youth which may require a minimum number of Spanish speaking staff. All documentation is in English and no written Spanish is required. Programs in Residential Treatment may provide a stipend for Spanish proficiency above the normal salary scale.

Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Services (LIRS) Colin-Ferguson House

LIRS subcontracts with Friends of Youth Griffin Home to provide long term independent living programming for Central American adolescent males involved with legal immigration services at Colin-Ferguson House.

Bilingual Youth Counselor, Bilingual Spanish, BA Psychology, Sociology, Human Services, provides twenty-four hour shift supervision for up to 6 unaccompanied adolescent males in an on campus residential home. Youth receive individualized vocational and educational help towards independence; health services, recreation and physical education activities, and scheduled daily activities. Youth Counselors support the Individual Service Plans for each youth, and respond in accordance with the individuals' needs and abilities. Youth Counselors support youth feeling safe in the program, provide transportation to meet medical, educational and legal needs, and motivate and engage the youth to stay in and participate in their program while awaiting legal determination of immigration cases. The YC functions as a counselor to all residents and is assigned as primary counselor for one to three residents. \$13 per hour to start. Please send resume to Barry@friendsofyouth.org, 425 228 5776 ext 116.

The Division of Unaccompanied Minors Programs (DUCS) McEachern House

This program provides residential treatment and mental health services to “undocumented/unaccompanied” males age 12 through 17 years. Prior to The Flores Settlement these youth were incarcerated in detention facilities with undocumented adults. Many of these youth have been victims of illegal trafficking. The program works to ensure the health and safety needs of each youth are met. Transportation is provided to attain appropriate legal services. Educational classes and recreational groups are provided and youth are motivated with developmental activities.

Bilingual Youth Counselors, Bilingual Spanish, BA Psychology, Sociology, Human Services, work as a team providing and documenting supervision, case management, independent living skills, counseling, recreation, transportation, and mental health support for 12 male youth in a 24 hour residential program. \$14. per hour to start plus benefits. Please send resume to: Barry@friendsofyouth.org, 425 228 5776 ext 116.

Foster Homes and Licensing Serving Spanish Speaking Youth

Friends of Youth is also actively seeking out Bilingual Foster Parent(s) who would enjoy helping youth 8-17 who have Spanish as their primary language. The Foster Care system has children who need a good home and having a foster parent who is fluent in their native tongue would naturally help ease the language barrier.

Contact Paul Tan (206) 772-5400 ext.149 for more information.
